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The National Old Trails Road Association.

When Judge J. M. Lowe, President of the National Old Trails Road Association and Col. Dell Patter, Vice-president for Arizona were here six weeks ago, the people at a mass meeting at the court house voted that it was the sense of the meeting that 3000 members ought to be enrolled here, one half of the annual dues of \$1.00 to be paid to the National Association and one-half to the Lexington Old Trails Association. Some of the women of Lexington have taken the matter in hand and are now carrying around the Roster Books of the Association soliciting membership. The National organization has been maintaining offices in the Midland Building, Kansas City, has been publishing maps, perfecting organization in the states and working to secure state and federal recognition for this highway. It is a great work and our people ought to help it along not only to the small amount of the annual dues, but they ought to be enrolled so that their names will count in all efforts to secure state and federal recognition for the enterprise. The Association is incorporated. The officers are under bond, and some of our home people are directors in the Association. Let everybody take membership in the Association.

Criminal Court.

In the case of the State vs. Geo. Chinn, cruelty to animals, tried by jury and acquitted.

In the criminal court Saturday the case of the State vs. Silas Parker, Harry Briscoe, Harry Bowen and J. P. Worekuff, assault with the intent to kill, was tried by jury. Worekuff was acquitted. Parker, Briscoe and Bowen were fined \$100 each. This case grew out of the assault on Deputy Sheriff Clapp early last spring, when in the act of making an arrest he was assaulted by the four mentioned above and James Parker. The latter was tried at the April term and received a six year sentence, but was granted a new trial.

Monday the case of the State vs. Dallas Gordon and Ernest Davenport, uttering forged check, was brought up. Defendants entered a plea of guilty and were sentenced for two years in the penitentiary and paroled.

In the case of the State vs. Jhas. Mills, parole continued.

In the case of the State vs. Will Field, assault with the intent to kill, Defendant pleads guilty, was sentenced for two years to the penitentiary and paroled.

In the case of the State vs. Harry Hamilton, assault with a deadly weapon. Defendant entered a plea of guilty, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary and paroled.

In the case of State vs. John Askew, incest. Defendant enters a plea of guilty and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Another Early Morning Fire.

Friday night about 1:30 the gymnasium on Railroad street and owned by William LeJune, caught fire and burned down before the fire department arrived. There had been a dance earlier in the evening, and it is supposed that the building caught from cigarettes being thrown away before being extinguished.

Taylor-Stramcke.

The marriage of Miss Edna Stramcke, daughter of Mr. T. T. Stramcke, and Mr. Chester G. Taylor of Rochester, New York, was celebrated Saturday morning at six o'clock at the home of the bride's brother-in-law, Edward Aull, on East Main street. Rev. C. M. Davenport officiating. Only the immediate relatives of the bride witnessed the ceremony.

The bride is a young lady of fine, womanly accomplishments, combined with rare and practical intelligence, and numbers her friends by her acquaintances. The groom, who has made many friends during his visits here, is a civil engineer and was in charge of construction of the new Myrick station. The happy couple left on the west bound train, and will make a three weeks' tour of the East, when they will return and make their home in Kansas City.

Miss Andreen Entertains.

Miss Rachel Andreen entertained at breakfast yesterday morning at her home 1512 South street, the bridge club of which she is a member, in honor of Mrs. B. T. Tillman, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Mary Mellor, of Wayne, Nebraska.

The dining room was tastefully decorated in the club's colors, pink and white. In the center of the table was a large Jack Horner pie, with white satin ribbons running to each card. The pie contained a secret, as all pies do, and when it was cut it was found to contain little suit cases for each guest, which in return contained the picture of "the man in the case," Mr. Frank Wilson of Wayne, Nebraska, who, as was announced, will marry on September 25th, Miss Mary Berrie, the charming, accomplished and cultured daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Berrie of this city. Mr. Wilson is a graduate of Wentworth, where he is held in the highest esteem.

The announcement was an entire surprise to Miss Berrie's friends.

Advertiser in New Quarters.

The Daily Advertiser took up its new abode Monday in the room vacated by Naylor brothers, directly across the street from the old quarters. Sam, while a progressive in everything but Moose meat, believes in getting on the sunny side of everything. The close proximity of a meat market, he believed, had a bad influence on his "devil," and rather than contribute to his majesty's evil influence, he moved to a former undertaking establishment, where the shadow of old habits might keep the Imp on the square. Good luck, Sam. Get married and be happy.

Brought Here For Burial.

The body of Edward Lochner, who died in St. Louis Saturday, was brought here for burial Monday morning. Interment took place directly from the train.

Mr. Lochner was the son of A. J. Lochner of this city, and was 43 years old. He is survived by his father, one brother, Frank, and one sister, Mrs. Fannie Carpenter, of Kansas City.

Prairie Church.

Rev. T. H. Newkirk of Rosehill, N. C., will preach Sunday morning and evening in the Prairie church. Everybody welcome.

Dover Notes.

James Cheatham of Lexington was here Sunday.

Clayt Landrum of Waverly was here Monday.

Miss Ogda McGrew of Waverly is the guest of her uncle, M. V. Oliver.

Miss Mayme O'Malley of Higginsville is visiting friends here this week.

Miss Grace Walker of Higginsville is the guest of Mrs. J. M. Redd this week.

Mrs. Bowman Corder of Alma is visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Zeyzing.

H. L. Corbin and son, Henry, shipped cattle to Kansas City Tuesday.

W. C. Barnes of near Lexington was here Sunday.

Frank Zeyzing of Slater came up Monday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Carrie Baettell of Jefferson City came Saturday to make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winn and small daughter, Meredith, and Miss Lee Meng of Lexington attended the August meeting here Sunday.

J. R. Plattenburg and family of Higginsville are spending this week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Walker of Lexington attended services here last Sunday.

James Stark and family of Corder were here Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Vivian and daughter, Mrs. Mary Carter, of New York are guests of Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Redd.

Mrs. Ben Wessel and baby of Waverly are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trent.

Mrs. Eliza Cox is spending this week in town with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Mollie Gordon and son, Buford, of Lexington were here Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Carter and son of Fairfax are guests of relatives here.

Misses Mattie and Mildred Barnes of Lexington are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knipmyer and children of Higginsville are visiting Mrs. W. T. Stark this week.

Mrs. John Knott and daughter, Miss Bessie, of Sweet Springs are guests of relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rhinehart of Columbia spent Sunday here.

Miss Helen Davis of St. Louis is the guest of Miss Janie Redd. Mrs. Mamie Eubank and two children of New Boston, Texas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cather.

A Small Blaze.

The house occupied by Green Shannon on Seventeenth street, caught fire Monday afternoon from some cigar stubs being thrown away without being extinguished. The fire company made a quick run. Very little damage was done.

Marriage licenses have been issued to:

Caleb Cole Higginsville

Margaretta Wheatley

... . . Higginsville

Theodore F. Linderman

... . . Oklahoma City.

Elizabeth E. Johnston

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A. W. Naylor left yesterday day for a visit in Matfield Green, Kansas, after which he will locate in Kansas City, where he has secured a position with the Carroll-Davidson Undertaking establishment.

Lafayette County FAIR

Higginsville, Missouri
AUGUST
20, 21, 22 and 23
1912

DAILY PROGRAM

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20th

RACES:

2:25 Pace

2:18 Trot

3-year-old Pace

Baseball Game

Longren and His Aeroplane Flights

3-4 Mile Running Race

Mule Race

Jack and Mule Show Ring

Concerts by Dr. Hiner's Band

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21st

RACES

2:13 Pace

2:17 Trot

3-year old Trot

All-purpose and Saddle Horse Show Rings.

Lady Riders—Special Show Ring on colts.

Premium for the Largest Family on Grounds.

Longren and His Aeroplane Flights

Concerts by Hiner's Band

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22nd

RACES

2:25 Trot

2:20 Pace

2-year-old Trot

All-purpose and Harness Show Rings.

1 Mile Dash Novelty Running Race

Mule Race

Base Ball Game

Concerts by Hiner's Band

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23rd

RACES

2:15 Trot

2:11 Pace

Base Ball Game

Special Ring on Mule Colts

Boys' Foot Race.

1-2 Mile Dash Running Race

Mule Race

Draft Stallions Show Ring

Lady Driver

The Great Baby Show

Concerts by Hiner's Band

Every day a big day. Come to see the Big Chicken

Show, the Display of Ladies Work, to see the

Airmen, to Hear Hiner's Band.

The Great

Woods-Almo Street Fair

Carnival Co.

During the Entire Week

Come the First day and Every Other Day

EXCURSION RATES ON C. & A. AND MO. PAC. RAILROADS.